

Merchant's Hotel, NAPOLEON, O. TOLL THOMPSON, Prop'r. (formerly Clerk of the Thompson House.)

Democratic Northwest, NAPOLEON, OHIO.

LOCAL NEWS, &c.

Personal.

Miss Ella Heller is visiting in Defiance. Auditor Ennes left for Cleveland yesterday. Miss Laura Harrison spent Sunday in Defiance.

Mrs. H. H. French is visiting her mother in Crawfordsville, Ind.

Mrs. H. L. Ennes spent several days at Lakeside during the past week.

Mrs. Reed and daughter, of Bowling Green, are visiting friends in this city.

Lynne Hilton, of Defiance, attended the dance at Bitzer's Hall Tuesday evening.

Misses Dolly Richards and Emma Higgins have returned from their visit in Toledo.

John Heckler has been visiting in the east and at Lake Side for the past two weeks.

Miss Amelia Sherman, of Plymouth, O., is visiting with the family of Mr. John Freese.

Rev. Abby will occupy the pulpit of the 3d Congregational Church in Toledo next Sabbath.

Geo. Fleck is setting up the cigars, boys. The arrival of a new baby girl has made him reckless.

Miss Minnie McBane left for Columbus yesterday, where she will visit the family of Rev. Speng.

Miss Nellie Osborn of Defiance spent several days in Napoleon among her acquaintances last week.

Mrs. Williamson and her friend Miss Slicer, left last evening for Toledo and Bellefontaine.

H. E. Cary and wife, and G. H. Reeder and wife are enjoying themselves at Mackinaw, Mich.

Mrs. Carrie T. Waterson, of Cleveland, is here visiting with the family of her brother, Col. J. D. Norton.

Miss Lillie LaBarre, of Toledo, and Miss Myrtle Waterman, of Defiance, two charming and accomplished young ladies, are visiting with Miss Lillie Heller.

John Heckler, who has been clerking for W. P. Stockman for several years, has quit the grocery business and accepted a position in Grochner & Reddersen's hardware store.

Great slaughter in summer wear at the Eagle Clothing House. Hahn & Meyer are bound to keep up with the times, in style of goods and everything else.

We have received from the agent, G. S. Myers, a copy of the "People's Authorized Edition of the Revised New Testament." It is by all odds the best edition which has come under our notice.

Groschner & Reddersen are selling the New Imperial Bucher & Gibbes Steel Plow with Joints. This Plow is having a large run and will be left to go out on trial against any Plow in the market.

Peter Kaiser subscribed and paid for the Northwest last week. He gave us the wrong address, or at least we have the wrong address. If any of his friends know of his whereabouts, they will confer a favor by giving us his P. O. address.

SMOKERS YOU WILL LOOSE MONEY.—If you do not call at Kneeland's and buy some of those fine cigars selling at \$2.00, 2.30 and 2.50 a 100. An extra cigar at \$5.00 a 100. These goods will only be offered at above prices for a short time, call at once.

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Wheat is booming.

Frost is not far away. Look out for the new comet about these times.

A nobby band or set ring can be found at Fisk's.

The oyster months commence with September.

Monday night last was the coolest of the season.

Ladies, go to Norden's for novelties in neck wear.

School will commence about the first week in September.

At Norden's is the cheapest place to buy boots and shoes.

Findlay will have a State band tournament September 15.

Go to Norden's for summer goods at greatly reduced prices.

H. F. Meyerholtz has put a neat new fence around his residence lot.

The Henry County Teacher's Institute is in session. The attendance is slim.

Just received, a new invoice of fine jewelry at C. M. Fisk's Jewelry Store.

Don't fail to read the advertisement in another column headed "Agents Wanted."

The tax on real estate will be levied this fall under the new decennial reappraisal.

For a cool drink of lemonade or pop, drop in at Jas. Myers' place on the south side.

If you want a good pine cistern very cheap call on J. W. Hudson. Coal tar furnished gratis.

The two-cent return postal cards will soon be out for the accommodation of the public.

Wanted, to rent a house of 3 or 4 rooms, in good neighborhood. Leave word at this office.

The little son of Recorder Hartnett fell and broke his arm yesterday, making the second time this year.

Township treasurers can settle their accounts with the County Auditor on or after the 10th of August, 1881.

Rev. Robert McCune, of Toledo, will preach morning and evening next Sabbath at the Presbyterian Church.

If you want a necklace for your girl, call on C. M. Fisk, where you will find the finest stock ever brought to the city.

Thomas Glass has sold his residence on Washington street to Dr. Condit. We understand Mr. Glass will move to Pittsburgh.

The afternoon sociable of the ladies of the Presbyterian congregation will be held at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Heller on next Wednesday.

Irvin Campbell, a brother of Mrs. Robert Pratt, and a former clerk in the Napoleon Postoffice under Mr. Raff, was buried at Ottawa last Friday.

No old shoddy, slop-shop miss-it goods in the stock of clothing at the Eagle Clothing House of Hahn & Meyer. Come in and we will prove what we say.

Take Ayer's Pills for all the purposes of a purgative, for Constipation, Indigestion, Headache and Liver Complaint. By universal accord, they are the best of all purgatives for family use.

The new iron fences for the residence lots of H. C. Groschner and Wm. Reddersen have arrived, and when placed in position will make a marked improvement in the west end of town.

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Fresh Oysters

Can be found at Anton Hahn's, one door north of Shields & Norton's Bank, by the dish or can.

Wanted. Two or three good girls can have steady employment at good wages. Apply soon at Miller House.

Napoleon O., Aug. 17, 1881.

Mr. William Bowers, of Harrison twp., hauled to the Vocke Mills on Tuesday a load of wheat which weighed 7,125 lbs net, being 138 1/2 bushels. This is the largest load ever brought to those mills, the wagon and wheat weighing 10,065 lbs. Who can beat it?

UNIVERSAL APPROBATION.—By the community at large has been given to Burdock Blood Bitters. No instance is known where dissatisfaction has been manifested by their use, or where ought but benefit followed their administration. Price \$1.00, trial size 10 cents.

It is said a Michiganian is responsible for the contents of the following postal card: "Please send me by the first train coming this way, two pounds shogor, a blakin brush, five pouns coffey, and some little naps. My wife had a baby last nite; and two padlocks."

ATTENTION, F. Co.—You will meet at the armory on Sunday, August 21st, 1881, at 9:30 a. m., in full uniform with white gloves to attend services held at the Presbyterian church by Chaplain McCune, of the 16th Regt. O. N. G.

H. E. CARY, Capt. Commanding F. Co. 16th O. N. G. Napoleon O., August 15, 1881.

GAS.—By an ordinance published in this issue it will be seen that our town is to have gas works in the near future. The works are to be erected by Cincinnati parties, the town giving them the privilege of laying pipes along the streets, and the Co. to charge \$2.50 per thousand cubic feet for gas consumed by private individuals, and \$2.00 per thousand cubic feet for public consumption. Gas is something our town has needed for a number of years, and its early introduction will be hailed with delight by most of our citizens.

SOLDIERS, ATTENTION.—A Grand Reunion and G. A. R. Camp Fire will be held at Fostoria, Ohio, on August 23d to 25th, 1881. Prominent speakers will be present, including Gen. W. H. Gibson, Gov. Foster and others. Band Tournament, Competitive Rifle Practice, Balloon Ascension, Fireworks, Speeches, Toasts, Camp Reminiscences, Etc. This will be one of the largest gatherings of soldiers held in Ohio this year. Reduced fare on all railroads leading to Fostoria.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the Napoleon, O., Post Office for the week ending Aug. 13, 1881:

Lyman Bennett, Elias Gillmore, Mrs. Mauda Gunn, Dr. C. J. Hofelmeier, (2), James S. Haly, Mrs. Frank Jones, Miss Caroline Riddle, Mrs. Conley M. Smith, M. Stoefel, Luther White.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they were advertised and give date. JAMES S. FOUKE, Postmaster.

This is the proper season for trimming shade trees. Trees cut now will start out new branches and heal over the wounds before winter. If cut back in the spring the rapid growth will produce heavy tops to catch the force of the severe fall winds. But trees pruned now will have time to start new branches and heal the wounds. The cutting will leave the tops not too heavy for the trunks, and will withstand the severe winds. We would advise against cutting large branches, for, unless the stump is coated with thick paint or grafting wax, it will decay and the trees will rot into the heart. We have seen many trees killed in this manner.

GREAT WALL PAPER SALE.—All who are desirous of papering their houses or repairing them in any way this fall, will find something in the way of prices and goods at Saur's Drug and Book Store, which will be immensely interesting. For the next 60 days the "Little Dutchman" proposes to put his entire stock of wall and window paper, oils and paints, on the market at prices which are bound to sell them. Everybody should call at once at Saur's Drug Store and see for themselves that the above statement is no "blow," but a bonafide offer made to purchasers as an inducement for them to buy now, and in order to close out this class of goods to make room for the immense fall stock which is being purchased at low prices, and which will be shipped on or about Sept. 1st.

A REMARKABLE REVOLUTION.—The success of the Literary Revolution in producing a Cyclopaedia, the largest ever published in this country, in large type, well printed and bound, at the nominal cost of \$15, seemed to the majority of book-buyers so remarkable, that the second Literary Revolution, which reduces the cost of this most excellent work to \$10, seems almost incredible. The facts of the case are however, made so evident and so reasonable, that there can be no questioning them. We have in this office some of the volumes which demonstrate their superior character in every way, and the facts and figures which are published in detail in an article elsewhere in this paper, under the title of "A Second Literary Revolution," show very clearly, though very surprisingly how it is possible to make such an extremely valuable and costly Cyclopaedia accessible to the masses at such trifling cost.

To remove any possible incredulity which might exist in the minds of some that this is only a plausible scheme for getting a large amount of money in small sums from a great many individuals, in return for books which might never be delivered, the publishers do not require any payment whatever in advance. You may, if you please, simply send your order by postal card, and make no payment except upon the delivery of the goods themselves, and after you have examined them and found them satisfactory. Orders should be sent to the publishers at once, in order to secure the special terms given during the month of August.

THEATRE.—The A. O. Miller Dramatic Co., will occupy Beckman's Hall on the evening of Sept. 5th, 6th and 7th.

The company will open with "Muzzle, or Over the Hills to the Poor House," a dramatization of Will Carlton's Poem. Mr. Miller is a fine actor, and we understand his company is one of the finest on the road, giving unbounded satisfaction wherever they appear.

You can buy Paints, Oils, Wall Paper, Curtains and all goods cheap of Humphrey, the Druggist, as he must have the money to build his store with. Try him and see.

Deshier Items. Large lots of ship timber are being brought over the McComb road.

The sour-kraut crop is endangered by the ravages of insects, who are getting in their work on the cabbage.

Country produce is very scarce and high. This is a good country, but living isn't as cheap as it might be.

Another effort is being made towards organizing a band in this village. Help the boys along by a liberal donation of money.

Hiram Cole sold his tract of land consisting of 80 acres, situated on the south east corner of section 9, to John Freese of Napoleon, for \$1,000 cash.

Ladies wishing calling cards should call this office and examine our styles.

Fourth of July Com. Report. The Fourth of July Committee beg leave to submit the following report of moneys collected and disbursed, etc.:

Table with columns: To amount collected, To amount paid to Treas in cash, hotel bill, Balance due, AMOUNT RECEIVED, AMOUNT PAID OUT.

HOW TO SECURE HEALTH. It is strange any one should suffer from derangements brought on by impure blood, when SOUVILL'S SASSAPILLA AND STILANOLA, or BLOOD AND LIVER SYRUP will restore health to the physical organization. It is a strengthening syrup, pleasant to take, and the BEST BLOOD PURIFIER ever discovered, curing Scrofula, Syphilitic diseases, Weakness of the Kidneys, Erysipelas, Malaria, Nervous disorders, Debility, Bilious complaints and Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Skin, etc.

DIETETIC BREAD AND SYRUP instantly destroy WORMS.

Hancock, who is again located at the Boat Store, wishes to see all his old customers, and as many new ones as choose to call, at his old quarters, where he intends keeping a general stock of groceries and provisions, and everything usually found in a grocery store. Bottled ale and porter for family use always on hand.

Strayed. From the residence of the undersigned about July 10, a small 2 year old steer white and red speckled. Any information leading to his recovery will be liberally rewarded.

Jas. M. Myers, on the South side, has taken the agency for the celebrated Grosscup Pump, which is one of the best pumps in the market. These pumps are warranted for 6 years, and hundreds of them are in operation in Henry county. They are manufactured in Napoleon, and are exclusively a home pump. Call on Mr. Myers and secure one.

The Score for August is an especially readable number; its contents are agreeably varied and contain grave and gay, lively and severe subjects in profusion. The "History of German songs and song writers" is brought to the time of Goethe, and the influence of that poet on German music admirably treated by Louis C. Elson. A seasonable article on "Ancient Greek Plays" is reprinted in this number. The paragraph and humorous departments are more sparkling than ever, and in addition to this the following music is given:—Fairy Jane, song. Donna Juanita, March. When Gabriel Blows his Trumpet, etc. Song. Golden Slippers, Transcription. Water Mill, Song. Characterstucks. The price of the Score is 10 cents each number, and it is published by J. F. Perry & Co., Boston, Mass.

SOME prominent Republican papers still stick to it that mechanics and laboring men who interest themselves in the selection of proper men for office are howling bummers. This is a pet theory among the Republican office-holders. They insist that the leaders shall fix up the ticket and the masses shall vote for it without question or investigation. If they have a choice or an opinion of their own, they are to be put down by being denounced as 'howling bummers' and 'scallions.' It is this insolent despotism of the Republican leaders and officials that the people must rise against and put down, if they would maintain even the semblance of the elective franchise.

MARRIED. BROWN—BROWN.—At Napoleon, O., Aug. 1st, 1881, by W. F. Dickerman, Mr. Alva Brown and Mrs. Martha J. Brown.

MCCARTY—SHARTZER.—On Aug. 1, 1881, at Napoleon O., by W. F. Dickerman, Mr. Robert S. McCarty and Miss Ella E. Shartzer.

CAMERON—MCGREGOR.—At the residence of Dr. McHenry, Napoleon, O., Aug. 13, 1881, by W. F. Dickerman, Mr. John Cameron, of Napoleon, O., and Miss Jessie McGregor, of Beth, Scotland.

Conant Brothers!

190 and 192 Summit St., cor Adams St. Toledo, Ohio.

Largest Stock of FURNITURE in the State.

We are manufacturers and offer the best goods at lowest prices. Do not buy until you have seen our immense stock and get our prices.

CONANT BROTHERS.

Napoleon the Great was the greatest warrior of his time; and Napoleon in Ohio is the greatest Clothing market in the universe for the size of the place.

There is not one exclusive dry goods store in the whole place, such as you find in all first class business towns, but every store in town is making a frantic and desperate attempt to be a clothing store. In spite of all these facts, there is only one entirely exclusive first class Clothing House in town, which devotes its entire attention to ready-made clothing only. Keeps a large stock, sells very low, and at one price to all alike. This is "Bernstein's New York One Price Clothing House," which sells more clothing in a day than some of the others do in a week, and all because Bernstein deals fair and square and uprightly with all his patrons; because he has saved the people thousands of dollars since he is here, by selling goods for one half the price to charge you here for clothing before he came. Remember these facts and never lose sight of them. If the New York One Price Clothing House don't sell you clothing for twenty per cent. less than any one else we don't ask you to buy. Call and be convinced.

BERNSTEIN, One Price Clothier.

Important to Travelers. Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

Mothers! Mothers! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where, 25 cents a bottle.

For the best 50 cent. fine cut, go to Bradley's.

For the best 60 cent. fine cut, go to Bradley's.

For the best 75 cent. fine cut, go to Bradley's.

For the best 1.00 fine cut, go to Bradley's.

For the best 1.25 fine cut, go to Bradley's.

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